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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56 and in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97 et. seq., Applicants, through and by their attorneys, hereby directs the Examiner's attention to the documents enclosed. These documents were cited in the following earlier applications:

---USSN 8/455,421 filed 5/31/95, abandoned,
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which was a Continuation of 07/094,182 filed 9/8/87, abandoned,
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A filled in form listing the enclosed documents is presented herewith for the Examiner's review and convenience. A copy of the listed documents is enclosed.

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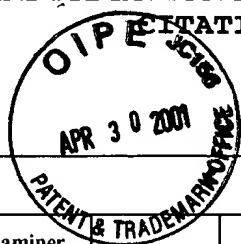
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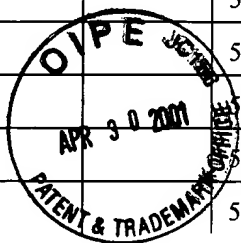
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